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In re Application of

Claude DEBROCHE et al.

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09/837,523

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For:

High-Speed Cutting Device and Method for

Cutting a Tire Reinforcement

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## **AMENDMENT**

SIR:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2004. Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of May 4, 2004. A check in the amount of \$420.00 in payment of the government fee for a two-month extension of time is enclosed herewith. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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